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Mr. Charles Thayer Department of State, OIC 224 West 57th Street New York, New York

Dear Charlie:

I wish to congratulate you on your recent appointment as Chief of the Voice of America which I noted in the paper a few days ago.

I hope you fully understand that you are our only customer for our outgoing wire service, and it is tailored for your specific desires insofar as we know them. We sometimes feel that we are working in the dark because we are not absolutely sure what your desires are. Any specific guidance which you can give us will be greatly appreciated, and I assure you that we will do everything in our power to supply you with information you want and at the times that you want.

I hope that you will drop in to see me on your next visit to Washington and take a look at our end of the operation. I am sure that such a visit would prove mutually advantageous to us both.

Sincerely,

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Colonel, USA (Ret)

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